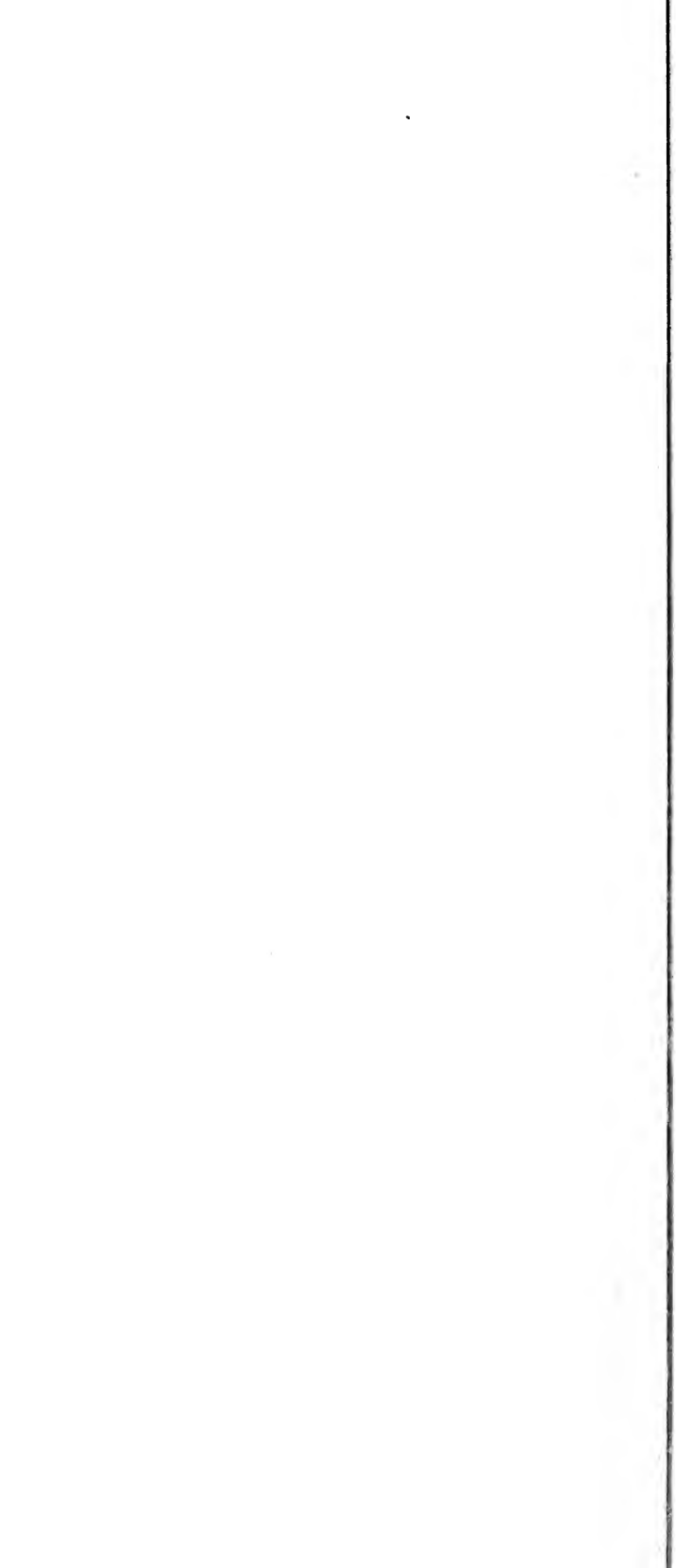


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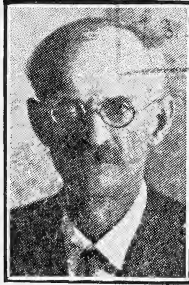
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P. O., Altoona,  
Iowa

Mitchelville  
Phone 87-F-21

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class trees and  
plants true  
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Owner and Manager

1931

# CYRUS HARVEY NURSERY

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Farm of over 3,000 bearing Fruit and Nut trees, 800 Gooseberry bushes, 800 Currant bushes, 700 Grape vines, etc., in bearing. 11 miles east on No. 63 paved road. The best sprayed Fruits, also Nuts, Sohghum, Honey, Popcorn, Vegetables, Cider, etc.

Quality first, courteous treatment next, and reasonable prices always the rule.

Nursery prices on first class stock for spring of 1930 at the City Market (Special prices at the nursery). We can make cheaper prices on small sizes. You save the cost of traveling salesmen and costly pictures by dealing with us.

BEST 5-7 FT. APPLE TREES, 10 for \$3.50

THE VERY BEST SENATOR DUNLAP PLANTS. 100 FOR 50¢

TRUE LATHAM RASPBERRY PLANTS. 100 FOR \$3

# ASK FOR SPECIAL PRICES ON LARGE ORDERS

AS TO OUR RELIABILITY, I REFER YOU TO THE  
HOME SAVINGS BANK OF DES MOINES.

We do our best to have the stock true to name and will replace free anything found not to be true to name, and will replace at half price stock that does not grow the first year. We make no further guarantee expressed or implied.

Apples, Delicious, Jonathan, Grimes, Snow, Willow Twig, Duchess, Wealthy, Red June, Yellow Transparent. 40 cts. each; 10 for \$3.50.

Crabs, Whitney, Hyslop and Yellow Siberian. 60 cts. each; 10 for \$5.00.

Cherries, Early Richmond, Montmorency, English Morello. 65 cts. each; 10 for \$6.00.

Sweet Cherries, Yellow Glass or Saylor, Lambert. 75 cts. each.

Plums, Kahinta, Toka, Waneta, Wild Goose, Lombard, Damsion, Green Gage, Miner and Terry. 50cts. each; 10 for \$4.50.

Pears, Bartlett, Kieffer, Duchess Dwarf, Duchess Standard. 60 cts. each; 10 for \$5.00.

Peaches, Champion, Marquette and Elberta. 50c each. 10 for \$3.50.

Currants, Wilder and Fay's Prolific, 2 year, No. 1. 20 cts. each; 10 for \$1.50. Perfection, 25 cts. each; 10 for \$2.00.

Gooseberries, Downing and Carrie, 2 year, No. 1. 20 cts. each; 10 for \$1.50.

Grapes, Concord, 2 year, No. 1. 10 cts. each; 10 for 90 cts. Moore's Early, Worden, Niagara and Brighton, 15 cts. each; 10 for \$1.40. Caca, 50 cts. each.

Raspberries, Gregg, Cumberland, Cuthbert, Iowa, Loudon and St. Regis. 5 cts. each; 100 for \$2.50.

Latham, 10 cts. each; 100 for \$3.00; 25 for \$1.00. Latham is our best red raspberry.

Dewberries, Lucretia. 5 cts. each; 100 for \$3.00.

Blackberries, Snyder, 5 cts. each; 100 for \$3.00.

Strawberries, Premier. \$1.00 per 100; 1,000 for \$7.00. Mastodon. 100 for \$1.50. Senator, Dunlap. 50 cets. per 100; \$4 per 1,000.

Premier is by far the best Spring bearing strawberry I ever grew. I never grew a nicer lot of plants than I now have on my farm.

Asparagus Roots, 2 year, No. 1. \$1.00 per 100; 1,000 for \$7.

Rhubarb, Divided Roots. 3 for 25 cts. 100 for \$4.00.

Horse Radish. 3 for 25 cts.

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Altoona, Iowa, 1-22-1930.

Mr. Cyrus Harvey,  
Dear Sir:

I have bought trees and grape vines of you for two years and they were fine. I bought trees from other nurseries and yours were the best I bought.

Yours respectfully,

W. S. Iseminger.

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Altoona, Ia., Jan. 27, 1930

Mr. Cyrus Harvey,  
Mitchelville Ia.

Dear Sir,

The trees, shrubs and vines we purchased from you during the past two years have been satisfactory in every way. The grape vines bore fruit the second year. All of the fruit trees are living and growing. We only lost two of the pine trees which is not bad considering the fact they are exceptionally hard to grow in this locality.

Best wishes to you for the coming season.

N. W. Atkins.

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Ames, Iowa, June 13, 1907

Mr. C. E. Harvey,  
Altoona, Ia.

My Dear Sir:

The plantlets came through in fine condition, every one a live, hardy, stocky plant, with a well developed root system. "We always know a tree by its fruit," so I can say unhesitatingly that when you get anything of "Cy" that it is the best there am.

Hoping that I can help others by having them get the best for the least money, and guaranteed satisfaction, I am,

Very truly yours,

Geo. H. Craig,  
Ames, Iowa.

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## ORNAMENTAL TREES

Ash, Mountain, 6 to 8 ft.....	Each	\$1.25
Birch, White, 6 to 8 ft.....	"	1.75
Birch, Weeping, Cut Leaf, 6 to 8 ft.....	"	2.50
Box Elder, 6 to 8 ft.....	"	1.00
Butternut, 5 to 6 ft.....	"	1.25
Catalpa, Bungei, 6 ft., 2 year heads.....	"	2.00
Catalpa, Speciosa, 6 to 8 ft. ....	"	.75
Cestnut, American Sweet, 6 to 8 ft.....	"	1.50
Crab, Bechtel's Flowering, 3 to 4 ft.....	"	1.00

Elm, 6 to 8 ft. ....	“	1.00
Linden, American, 6 to 8 ft.....	“	2.25
Maple, Norway, 5 to 6 ft.....	“	1.50
Maple, Schwedler's Red Leaf, 6 to 7 ft.....	“	2.75
Maple, (Soft), 6 to 8 ft.....	“	.75
Maple, Sugar, 5 to 6 ft.....	“	1.50
Mulberry, Russian, 5 to 6 ft.....	“	.50
		100 for \$20.00
Mulberry, Tea Weeping, 2 year heads.....	“	3.50
Poplar, Carolina, 8 to 10 ft.....	“	1.00
Poplar, 5 to 6 ft.....	“	.50
Red Bud, 3 to 4 ft.....	“	1.00
Sycamore, 6 to 8 ft.....	“	1.50
Walnut, (Black), 5 to 6 ft.....	“	1.00
Willow, Pussy, 3 to 4 ft.....	“	1.00
Willow, Russian Golden, 5 to 6 ft.....	“	.75

## ORNAMENTAL SHRUBS

Almond, Flowering, 18-24 inches, pink and white	Each	\$0.75
Barberry, Japanese, 18 to 24 inches.....	“	.35
Barberry, Red Leaved, 15 to 18 inches.....	“	.75
Bittersweet, 18 to 24 inches.....	“	.40
Buffaloberry, 3 to 4 ft.....	“	.75
Butterfly Bush.....	“	.40
Choke Cherry, 3 to 4 ft.....	“	1.00
Dogwood, Red, 2 to 3 ft.....	“	.50
Elder, Golden, 18 to 24 inches.....	“	.50
Forsythia, 2 to 3 ft.....	“	.50
Fragrantissima, Winter Honeysuckle, 2 to 3 ft....	“	.50
Honeysuckle, Tartarian Red.....	“	.40
Hydrangea, P. G. and Arborescens, 18-24 inches	“	.60
Juneberry, Dwarf, 18 to 24 inches.....	“	.50
Lilac, White.....	“	.50
Lilac, Purple.....	“	.25
Lilac, Persian, 2 to 3 ft.....	“	.75
Philadelphus, Yellow Leaved, 12-15 inches, Dwarf	“	.40
Philadelphus, Common, 18 to 24 inches.....	“	.40
Snowball, 18 to 24 inches.....	“	.60
Snowberry, 18 to 24 inches.....	“	.35
Spirea, Anthony Waterer, 18 to 24 inches.....	“	.50
Spirea, Van Houtte (Bridal Wreath), heavy,....	“	.30
Light .....	“	.20
Tamarix, 3 to 4 ft.....	“	.50
Wahoo, 3 to 6 ft.....	“	.50
Weigela, Variegated, 2 to 3 ft.....	“	.50
Witch Hazel, 18 to 24 inches.....	“	.50

## HEDGING PLANTS

Barberry, 12 to 18 inches, per 100.....	\$10.00
Privet, Hardy Russian, 18 to 24 inches, per 100.....	16.00
Russian Privet, 12 to 18 inches, per 100.....	7.00
Russian Mulberry, 18 to 24 inches, per 100.....	5.00
Spirea, Van Houtte, 12 to 18 inches, per 100.....	10.00

Double the growth of your nursery stock the first year set, by using Gator Hide mulch paper, 36 inches square, 10c, 3 for 25c; 18 inches square, 3 for 10c. The cost is nothing compared with the extra start it will give trees and shrubs. We are Iowa's leading mulch paper retail distributors. We have it in 25 ft., 50 ft., 100 ft., 450 ft. and 900 ft. rolls.

These prices below are at the City Market or Nursery. Postage or express to be paid by purchaser.

## VINES

Boston Ivy.....	Each	\$0.75
Clematis, Jack, Purple and Henryi, White.....	"	.75
Honeysuckle, and Trumpet Vines.....	"	.50
Wisteria .....	"	.50

## ROSES

American Beauty.....	Each	\$0.75
Hugonis .....	"	.75
American Beauty Climbing, Harrison's Yellow, Persian Yellow, Seven Sisters, Crimson, Rambler, Dorothy Perkins, Baby Ramblers, Flower of Fairfield.....	"	.50

## PEONIES

Festiva Maxima (white)		
Mme. de Verneville (early white)		
Rubra Superba (red)		
L'Esperence (early deep pink).....	Each	\$0.50
Mixed .....	"	.25

## EVERGREENS

American Arbor Vitae, 12 to 18 inches, Each 75c; 100 for \$40.00.
American Arbor Vitae, 18 to 24 inches, Each 90c; 100 for \$50.00.
American Arborvitae, 4 to 8 inches, 100 for \$5.00.
Colorado Blue Spruce, 18 inches, Each \$2.50.
Scotch Pine, 18 to 24 inches, Each 50c; 100 for \$45.00; 2 to 3 ft. Each 75c.
Norway Spruce, 12 to 18 inches, Each 35c; 100 for \$30.00; 18 to 24 inches, Each 50c.

## GET OUR PRICES ON GARDEN PLANTS

Blossom Time Open House is an annual affair and largely attended by people from far and near. In past years the Iowa State College put on demonstrations and the visitors were addressed by such speakers as Gov. John Hammill, Geo. Hamilton, E. C. Lytton, Dr. J. J. Boyland, Mayor Fred Hunter, Representative E. A. Elliott, etc. It will be about May 1st this year and last 10 days. Everybody is invited to come and see the blossoms and have a picnic lunch in the woods. Schools and Sunday School classes especially invited.

My main stock is at the nursery as I can only keep just a few plants and trees on the 10 foot frontage at the market.

Secretary of Agriculture.

State Entomologist.  
Mitchellville, Ia., 1-27-1930.

Mr. Cyrus Harvey,  
Altoona, Ia

Dear Friend:

I wish to say that I have been getting nursery stock from you for nearly thirty years and have been well pleased with it and always found it true to name. I am glad to recommend you to my friends.

Very sincerely yours,

Lee Taylor.

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State of Iowa  
DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE  
Office of the State Entomologist  
**CERTIFICATE OF NURSERY INSPECTION**  
Station "A", Ames, Iowa, September 1, 1929.  
Number 193

This certifies that the nursery premises and the growing nursery stock consisting of General line of nursery stock. Red and Black raspberries doubly inspected for virus diseases, (general nursery stock—evergreens, strawberries, raspberries, ornamental shrubs, etc., etc.) and belonging to Cyrus E. Harvey, Altoona, Iowa, have been inspected by a duly authorized nursery inspector as provided by "The Iowa Crop Pest Act"—Chapter 201-B1 Code of Iowa, 1927.

Permission is hereby granted to the above named nursery to sell and ship (1) stock of his own growing which upon inspection has either been found apparently free from dangerously injurious insect pests and plant diseases, or if diseased, has been treated as prescribed by this office, and (2) stock obtained from other sources approved by this office, provided that a tag on which a copy of this certificate has been printed, is attached to each package, bundle, bale, box or car load lot shipped or delivered.

This certificate applies only to stock which has been officially inspected for the year ending September 1, 1930 and expires on that date, but may be revoked by the State Entomologist at any time for cause.

**M. G. THORNBURG**

**CARL J. DRAKE**

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Beware of unscrupulous persons selling under my name. I have known of them selling along the highway and even as far away as Newton—selling what they claimed was Harvey's fruit. Also there has been much sold at the City Market under my name which I had nothing to do with.

We have a fine flock of White Wyandottes and White Leghorns and will have 1st class eggs for setting at very reasonable prices.

We wrap large orders at the nursery and our customers can get them at the market.

We do no busines on Sunday.

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1538 Mattern Ave., Des Moines, Ia., Jan. 27, 1930.

Mr. Cyrus E. Harvey,  
Altoona, Iowa.

Dear Sir:

I wish to express my appreciation of the nursery stock and treatment you have given me. I got over \$75.00 worth from you last season and expect to get about \$150.00 worth this season.

Very sincerely yours,

George S. Laurins.



